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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Mrs. Jack Armstrong, of Dallas, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanway for several weeks, has been the inspiration for many pretty parties and on Wednesday evening Judge and Mrs. J. W. Doremus entertained a number of their friends in their home with one of the most beautiful and charming hostesses of the week. A most handsome decorative effect was accomplished with clusters of the red rambler that was perfect in form and color and the quantities of handsome blooms employed, converted the reception suite into an ideal environment for the guests. Pansy score cards were passed for the game of five hundred and several tables were arranged for this pastime, and a series of interesting games made the evening a round of pleasure. Pink and white mints were served during the progress of the contest which was an added enjoyment to the game. Mrs. Doremus, in a charming and elegant manner, presented to the honoree a pretty souvenir of the occasion a handsome Dresden china candlestick. Mr. Rudolph Myers received the consolation prize. The refreshments served by Mrs. Doremus are always appetizing and well prepared and especially so were they on this occasion. A salad course served with wine was much relished. Every feature of the beautiful affair was perfect and arranged in exquisite taste and it was altogether one of the most perfect social affairs planned for Mrs. Armstrong. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hanway, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. DeMaret, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moorlag, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burger, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Myers, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKenzie, Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Raynor, Dr. and Mrs. George R. Tabor, Mrs. J. B. Hines, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Mrs. Kate Martin, Miss Adell Raynor, Miss Marion Foot, Mesdames Charles Mills of Corsicana, Jack Armstrong of Dallas, J. Fred Smith of Dallas, Bartlett Sims of Shreveport, La., Messrs. Trent Newton, C. F. Oliver, Ed Saunders, Rev. Daup.

A charming dinner party was given by Mrs. Eugene Clay Ferguson yesterday evening at her home, 1013 East Washington street, when she announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Imogene Blanche, to Mr. Robert S. Webb Jr., of Bryan, Texas, the wedding to take place June 21 at the home of Miss Ferguson. Covers were laid for twelve and the decorations were very elaborate and beautiful. Pink and white sweet peas and smilax formed a center piece on the table which enclosed dainty handpainted heart-shaped cards bearing the names of Miss Ferguson and Mr. Webb and which the guests drew when they pulled the ribbons attached to their place cards. The library and parlor were decorated in large bunches of pink roses and looked very pretty. Miss Ferguson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ferguson, of 1013 East Washington street, and has lived in this city the greater part of her life. She is a graduate of the Bloomington high school and attended the Wesleyan, and is a charming and popular young lady who has a host of friends. Mr. Webb is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webb, of Bryan, Texas, and is a rising young business man. He is head bookkeeper for the Cotton Seed Oil Mill at Bryan. He has lived there all his life, has many friends in the Southwest and comes of one of the oldest families of that vicinity. A number of social affairs are being planned for Miss Ferguson and she will be a popular bride.—Daily Bulletin, Bloomington, Ill.

The above clipping chronicles a social event of more than ordinary interest to Bryan friends. Miss Ferguson, the charming bride to be, visited in Bryan during the past winter, and by her graciousness and charming personality, endeared herself to a host of friends. She was a favorite in social circles during her visit here, and the good news that she will soon make her home in Bryan is received with sincere pleasure. The prospective bridegroom is one of Bryan's very best and noblest young men. He has lived here all his life and is held in the very highest regard by all.

Yesterday afternoon the Bachelor Girls club and a few friends of Mrs. S. H. Dunlap assembled at her beautiful home in response to invitations to enjoy her hospitality from four until six, the lovely affair having been planned in compliment to Mrs. S. E. Gideon of Boston, Mass., and Miss Laura Dunlap. The hostess knows just how to arrange a delightful afternoon and for this occasion an unusual, original and unique party was given. An election was held by playing forty-two to see what political party was the most popular. At the close of the contest the Union Labor had the most votes. The

Democratic Club, of which Mrs. Gideon was President, defeated the Union Labor. The score was: Republican on election ticket and the opposite side was written the name of the honoree and the date of the pleasant affair. As each game was won the count was given to the table where the guest started from and not where the game was won. A delicious fruit punch was served during the progress of the contest and was quite refreshing. Happily did the hours glide away, and after many pleasant moments spent, the games were concluded. Mrs. Dunlap's pretty home made a charming setting for the smartly gowned guests and the affair was characterized by the attractive hospitality which marks all of the hostess's parties. The parlor, hall and dining room were very handsomely decorated with roses and cape jasmines. The honorees each received as guests prizes beautiful hand-made handkerchiefs. Miss Irma Harris also received a handkerchief for her good playing; she very graciously presented it to Miss Griffith of Dallas. The afternoon's hours were brought to a close by the serving of a course of lemon ice and angel-food cake.

One of the most delightful of recent social events was the card party given by Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Haswell on Tuesday evening when they entertained the Entre Nous club complimentary to Mrs. Jack Armstrong of Dallas. Mrs. Armstrong nee Miss Jennie Hanway, is quite a charming woman and a great social favorite here, and her visits to Bryan are a source of pleasure to her many friends. Abundant with light, fragrant with quantities of lovely blossoms that lent an additional air of attractiveness to the already elegantly furnished rooms, this lovely home presented a most attractive scene, and a large number of guests responded to the invitation to meet the honoree. It's a pleasure just to spend an hour or so in so beautiful an environment as this house offers, and with an interesting game and the cheerful companionship of one's friends added, the enjoyment is doubled. The guests were delightfully entertained with five hundred, and those participating evidently entered the game with a determination to ex-

not one lagging moment ensued and not one incident marred their enthusiasm. When the game was concluded the honoree was given the guest prize, a beautiful hand-painted piece of French china. Mrs. Moorlag was presented the ladies' prize, a bon-bon dish, and Mr. Osborn Johnson the gentlemen's prize, a box of cigars. Mrs. Doremus and Geo. Brandon, Jr., were awarded the consolation prizes. The enjoyment of the evening terminated with the serving of chicken salad, sandwiches, olives, salted almonds, crackers, tomatoes and sherbert.

Miss May Ball entertained the members of her Sunday school class of the Methodist church on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Josie Lawrence. The membership of the class is composed of Allen Academy students and indeed it was a pretty courtesy shown them by their teacher before their departure to their respective homes. The lovely affair was characterized by a delightful informality, which gave it a distinct charm and made it one of the most thoroughly enjoyable hostesses of the week. Music and conversation entertained the guests for several hours when Miss Ball took the young men to Mr. Howard Cavitt's drug store and treated them to delicious refreshments. Mr. Cavitt was notified of their coming and had arranged everything so pleasantly for the guests; the tables were prettily decorated with flowers and splendid music was enjoyed. Just before the serving of refreshments Miss Ball pinned a beautiful cape jessamine tied with Allen Academy colors in each young man's lapel. The superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. C. M. Bethany, was also a guest of Miss Ball.

A number of Allen Academy students planned an enjoyable entertainment for Wednesday evening at the Pin Feather clubhouse. A large number of young ladies were invited and as the night was an ideal one the drive to and from the clubhouse was quite an enjoyable feature. An orchestra stationed on the wide veranda discoursed sweet music all during the evening. Many found pleasure in rowing on the lake while others amused themselves by bowling and by other means. A picnic lunch was spread at a late hour and much enjoyed. The chaperones for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Astin and Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Lawrence.

Last Saturday evening Miss Martha Morris entertained the members of her Sunday school class composed mostly of Allen Academy students, and an equal number of girls. In spite of the bad weather there was a very large attendance of the young people and the scene was one of mirth and gaiety from beginning to end, for the beautiful home was artistically decorated with a great variety of flowers

There was an abundance of floral emblems and games that amused the crowd until a late hour, when the guests were served to a daintily prepared refreshment course, thus ending a most enjoyable evening.

The young men of the Elks club gave quite a pleasant dance Wednesday evening at their elegant club rooms. Dainty dance programs were distributed containing the usual number of dances, the floor and music were splendid and a royal good time is the verdict of all who attended. A number of College young people were present. The grand march was led by Miss Sargent and Mr. Gist.

Misses Irene Board and Rowena Rhodes will leave tomorrow for Mexico to be members of a houseparty given by Miss Pauline McKenzie. Miss McKenzie will accompany Miss Board home to be her guest for the A. and M. College commencement. While gone Miss Rhodes will be maid of honor in the Chatham-Ross wedding which takes place on the thirty-first of this month.

A large number of young people spent Tuesday evening at Delwood park enjoying the pleasures it affords. A picnic lunch was served and enjoyed during the evening. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cole, Mrs. Nannie Rohde, Mrs. N. M. McDougald, Mrs. Leopold.

Mrs. J. B. Priddy entertained her Sunday school class of the Methodist church composed of little boys with an enjoyable picnic today. Mrs. Priddy is quite a favorite with the boys, all of whom are devoted to her. Nothing short of a good time is expected with Mrs. Priddy as hostess.

The Bachelor Girls club meeting to have been held with Mrs. John A. Moore on Wednesday afternoon was postponed on account of the bad weather. Mrs. Moore will entertain the club Wednesday in honor of her sister, Miss Lillian Parks.

Miss Ray Conway, sponsor of Co. C of the A. and M. College, will entertain the members of her company this evening with a dance at the Pin Feather clubhouse.

Mrs. M. W. Sims will be hostess to the Entre Nous club on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. The affair will be given complimentary to the members of Mrs. Sims houseparty.

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